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LESS THAN 100 PER CENT AMERICAN IS UNAMERICAN

"I congratulate you upon your election as a victory for law and order. When that is the issue all Americans stand together.'

The above is the message of the Democratic president of the United States to the Republican governor of Massachusetts, who, by an overwhelming vote, defeated the candidate of the Democratic party, who made his race on an appeal to the sympathizers of the striking Boston police force.

The issue fought out in Massachusetts is one that will make its appearance in every state in the union in some form or other and at some time or other until it finally is determined whether law or lawlessness is to prevail.

It is an issue, we believe, that every genuine American should invite and be willing to fight to a finish

The time has passed for any man or set of men to defy organized and orderly government. Some of them have become intoxicated by the sound of their voices, and their minds have been stimulated to the extent that they believe they are possessed of abnormal strength.

We might as well determine for all time if the virus of Bolshevism is stronger than the serum of Americanism.

The example set by Woodrow Wilson, the leader of the Democratic party, in telegraphing his congratulation to Gov. Coolidge of Massachusetts upon his victory for law and order. and the defeat of Richard H. Long, the Democratic candidate, is one that should be burned into the hearts and minds of the

The News Scimitar is a Democratic newspaper. It believes in the principles of Jefferson, Jackson and Cleveland. It subscribes to the Democracy of Woodrow Wilson.

The Democratic party must and will continue to be the dominant party in the South. The Republican leadership is confined too exclusively to spoilsmen with no fixed principles except that of gratifying their own selfish political desires.

Therefore it is the mission of the Democratic party in the South to rule, and the responsibility resting upon the Democrats of the South is to keep their party clean, honest and correct and preserve it above any suspicion of a compromise with anything not in keeping with the traditions of the South and the theories of the founders of the government.

If the political parties are to endure they must cling to the principle of "America first."

Political parties primarily must be organized patriotism. The candidate who is not 100 per cent American, not devoted to the ideals and institutions of the government, is not entitled to carry the banner of either of the great political parties that have grown up in this country. And if by some mischance, as in the case in Massachusetts, a candidate should receive the nomination at the hands of a party machine that is faithless to the interest of good government, it is the duty of the Democrats and Republicans to vote against him, not because he is a Democrat or

Judge McCall on Saturday denied citizenship to an alien who declared that he did not believe in organized government. In a case like that the judge should be clothed with author-

a Republican, but because he is not a good American.

ity not only to deny citizenship, but to deport the alien. This country was settled and developed to a great extent by immigrants, and many of our most loyal citizens are those who have a genuine affection for their adopted country, and seek every occasion to do something for it in appreciation of what it has done for them.

But in recent years there seems to have been a letting down of the bars to peoples of all descriptions, with all kinds of opin-

ions, obsessed with all kinds of fanaticisms. Partly responsible for this condition are the operators of large industries who import cheap labor to compete with American labor.

The result frequently is that the self-respecting Americanborn workman with a family to support, with ambition for his children and a desire to educate and give them the comforts of home, must give way to European riffraff and seek employment elsewhere.

The newcomers are satisfied for a little while, and then they organize among themselves, work a while and strike a while destroy property and sow seeds of discontent to the extent of making them a menace to the government. Not infrequently those who bring them here are the first to ask to be protected

It is time to serve notice on the world that America has surrendered none of her sovereignty.

We believe in our government, in its institutions, its law making bodies and in the judiciary and the chief executive.

We believe that the business enterprises erected as monuments to the genius of men, of their minds and their labor, should be protected and permitted to prosper.

If there are those in our midst who do not subscribe to our simple creed of patriotism, then this is no country for them. It is un-American to be less than all-American.

The advice of the military men is of little avail with the congress, which may not be wrong at that, as the military men in the late war were mainly successful because they did not take the advice of congress.

In the midst of the high flight altitudes that are being attained somebody should, as a further inducement, offer a prize for the first flyer that reaches the high cost of living.

The British coal miners are said to be deriving great benefit from the strike in America. We were wondering who it was that could be benefited.

They tell us there is no such thing as class favoritism in this country, but we can tell them of a class that is sorely oppressed.

Anybody that wants to can be a coal miner at \$10 a day, but for us we stay outside and let the bill collector hustle.

Carranza is not a candidate for re-election; besides, the candidate with the largest military force usually gets the vote.

The Days of Real Sport-By Briggs



Ye Editor Nods Jolts and Jests Slipped Past The Blue Pencil

HOPES FOR SPRING. The Bartlett barber is greatly cheered. The other day he saw a flock of wild geese heading North, and he argues that means a mid winter, and the possibility of keeping the commuter-report-

AHAL

Judging from his published account of Mita's "Head Over Heels," our dis-tinguished confrere, Mr. Ned Courtney, must have liked the show.

K. I. D. N. A. P. AND A. W. O. L.? K. I. D. N. A. P. AND A. W. O. L.?

The wild tale told by a Park field sergeant, who, after being absent from duty for two days, yows he was kidnaped by bandits, recalls to us our own happy first days in the army when our shoe lace was bound to get untied about the time a shavetail blew into view, or our wrist to get sprained about the time the "old man" insisted that we vault clear over our 16-hand high "pony."

TAME SPORT. The man who thinks football is a rough game should try getting through a crowd of friends with a full half pint on his hip.

UNEASY. Reports of great unrest among the bear population of Mississippi are heard as the day draws near for the start of Tom James' bear hunt.

YEA, BO! It takes a man with a world of faith to eat modern day chili.

THOUSANDS OF HIM. The report that Chio has gone wet by one vote means that there's many a man today in the Buckeye state who is claiming credit for the victory.

STILL SHORT. Although Paul Towner was assistant campaign manager for Joe Williams, and granting that he is in the rubber business, yet even Paul could not stretch the count into a victory.

WEATHER. The boll weevil is living in a we ountry these days. CONNUBIAL.

Hash is not the only reason that auses a man to stay downtown to din-WHAT'S IN A NAME?

If hames counted for anything, we easily could elect John R. Pepper as hairman of the chili makers' guild.

BUCK UP! It doesn't hurt to try. It's better to be an also ran than a never wuzzer, POST ELECTION. Uneasy lies the head that wears a

DYE KNOW WHAT THAT

police cap-now that the election's been

HAVE YOU JOINED? Tuesday, Nov. 11, armistice day—the last chance to join the Red Cross for 1920. One year ago—the war, Today, peace and plenty. Have you forgotten so soou?

HOROSCOPE

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 1919.

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Saturn rules this day strongly for good, according to astrology, and this sway is opposed by Jupiter, the sun and Uranus in evil aspect.

Agriculturists should benefit by conditions that point to high prices for products, but they will have difficulties to meet in the form of had weather.

Under this planetary government land and land values are likely to be much discussed. Some government project will stimulate the interest of settlers.

Persons past 40 should benefit greatly during this sway of the stars, which is believed to give them power to lead others and to benefit by experience.

During this rule the old will do well to make plans for their retrement from active life or for the turning over of heavy responsibilities.

It is not an auspicious day for making changes of any sort or for seeking favors or emoluments.

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Jupiter gives promise that the coming weeks will bring about a healthy reaction from the strain of war time. Complete readjustment of social customs and changes in traditions will be apparent as the new year advances.

There is a sign read as indicating an increase in immigration. This is held to mean that many foreigners who have gone back to their native lands will return, bringing many with them.

Co-operation and profit sharing have the best sort of a direction of the stars. Uranus gives those who read the stars warning that sleep after the spiritual awakening caused by the sufferings of war will cause calamities even greater than those of the past.

Persons whose birthdate it is may have a year of some anxieties. They should not make any changes.

Children born on this day will be steady and trustworthy in all probability. These subjects of Scorpio are often inclined to be careless and untidy.

POLICE ON LOOKOUT FOR LARCENY DUO

Authorities at Bardwell, Ky., Sunday telephoned Police Chief Burney to be on the lookout for Jack Wallace and Jess Parks, alleged to have been con-nected in a larceny case at Bardwell

recently.

Dewey Going recently was turned over to Kentucky officers here and according to the police was wanted on the same charge. Chief Burney declares his information says the trio operated together in Western Kentucky.

GIRL WILL RECOVER.

Rapid recovery was predicted Monday morning at General hospital for Elizabeth Hudson, aged 18, who Sunday it is alleged, attempted suicide by swallowing carbolic acid. She will leave the hospital Tuesday. The girk was taken to the hospital from the Bethany Training home on Chelsa avenue. She made no statement.



Though just exactly what it is is hard to understand. We're given ample warning that the time is coming when They're going to dominate the fields now occupied by men. They're getting into politics, and glory in the strife. They're cutting quite a figure in the realms of business life. Now this may be the stylish thing, but it must be confessed That after all is said and done, we like the home girl best.

Her biscuits may not be the best e'er made right on the start; Her pie crusts may logether stick and may refuse to part; Her corned beef hash may taste just like a fluff rug in distress; Her soup may be enough to make a criminal confess; But still it makes a feller glad, wherever he may roam, To think that this old-lashioned girl waits his arrival home. Of course, you know, there's not a doubt that we like all the rest, But, getting squarely down to facts, we like the home girl best.

Hen eggs 80 years old have been found in Fayette City, Pa. firmly believe we had two of them for breakfast.

Wireless report says Holland and Belgium have severed relations. First call for the new international fire department.

can, confesses she has two sweethearts with the army of occupation and begs me write you requesting you to please answer the following ques-

tion: If two American soldiers were detailed for "picket duty" near Warsaw for a period of five years, would they automatically become Poles? SIMPLEX JOE.

Why do not our creditors call us on the phone instead of mailing statements? Then they would never get us.

READ IN THE PAPERS 40 YEARS AGO TODAY.

slab out of its smokestack and killed a valuable cow belonging to Mr. Lemuel Tasker. Mr. Tasker will sue the railroad. Fine country sausage, 10 cents per pound; bacon, 12 cents per pound; best cuts porterhouse, 12 cents per pound, at the city market. Advertisement.

any higher. They are now 13 cents a dozen.

A-1 dairy butter is quoted today at 15 cents per pound.

Mr. Erasmus Henstep expects to market his turkeys at 8 cents a

bound, which is believed to be a record price. A man was through here yesterday on a new-tangled machine known as a bicycle. It had one large wheel and one small one, and the man was able to go at the record-breaking speed of nine miles an hour.

The society ladies met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Purdy and worked on a crazy quilt, which will be sent to some deserving poor man

There is a butcher of our acquaintance who has in his shop a sign reading: "No Long Waits." What would suit us better would be, "No Short Weights."

the Moment THE HOME GIRL.

The golden age for women, they inform us, is at hand,

SHE'S 200 PER CENT AMERICAN.

The locomotive which pulls the fast train into our town threw

It is thought, eggs have touched the top price and can never go

at the insane asylum.

I WAS JUST GONNA

LOOKS LIKE I'LL



AMUSEMENTS

Loew's Lyceum,

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Minnie Burke, a comely maiden of the nationality her name faintly suggests, holds four kings. Minnie would not be accused of "playing em close" were she in a poker game, for she turns both heruelf, her four feet and the four kings of "jazzocopation" lose on the current bill at Loew's Lyceum and there follows the jazzes of the jazz. twenty minutes that it has been the pleasure of Loew's patrons to enjoy during the waxing and waning of many a cycle of the nocturnal luminary.

The bill opening Sunday is a good one. Melody and good cheer abound. George A. Mack, singing comedian; Brown and Alaine, aong and dance team; Henshaw and Avery, with song and chatter, and Aldine and Wright, acrobats, complete the bill innofar as humans in the flesh is concerned.

Characterizations in celluloid feature Bert Lytell, perennially a favorite in Lombardi, Ltd. Gowns, girls, gushing girly girls, of remarkable attractive contour and rotundity predominate, and Lytell, himself as a temperamental Italian, again scores a touchdown in acting.

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Mime. Olga Petrova, the star of this week's Orpheum bill, is one of the most versatile women on the stage. She plays comedy and tragedy, she sings and she imitates. She is a woman of striking appearance and of forcible but exceedingly attractive personality. There is a distinctiveness, a subtlety, a grip about her portrayals that leave her portraits limned eternally upon the minds of her audience. Her art is a revelation. Her costumes are her own creations and they mirror each role she assumes. The program that Mime. Petrova will offer has been framed to present her many-sided art, in the interpretation of a wide range of characters, and it should reveal in clearest light the height which her dramatic muse carries her.

Sheila Terry has an operetta in which she is assisted by Harry Peterson and Gattison Joues. Both of whom stand well in the fore of their respective lines. Miss Terry is a new star. In "Three's a Crowd," so-called classic music and lazs take each other by the hand while romance and real comedy are pals, and besides there is a genuine plot.

Something new and something different will be offered in "Bostock's Riding School," in how circus riders are made. It is a mammoth comedy act with five circus riders and horses. It is one of the most pretentious acts of its kind now in vaudeville.

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The Clinton sisters through their ability and taient have made themselver decided factors in the dance world. They will be seen in "Interpretative Costume Dances." Hudler, Stein and Phillips are a trio of young men who will offer "Steps in Harmony." Dick Duffy and Betty Caidwell have a comedy offering. "By the Lamp Post." Duffy is an excellent light comedian and Miss Caldwell a pretty brunette, who is the first spade in laugh getting. Ben Benny will banish all the blues in the audience. Topics of the Day and Kinograms complete the show.

New Lyric.

Memphis will be one of the first cities outside of New York and Chicago to witness David Belasco's superb presentation of "The Boomerang." which is booked for an appearance at the Lyric Thursday, Friday and Saturday matines and night. It is the work of Winchell Smith and Victor Mapes, and is credited with being one of the smartest comedies that has been written in recent years. In New York, at the Belasco theater, this comedy was played for 15 months, while at Powers' theater, Chicago, it enjoyed an aight months' engagement that broke every previous record for attendance and big receipts at that playhouse.

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Typically American, both in conception and treatment, "The Boomerang," has to do with a young doctor who is obliged to take his own medicine, and finds it anything but palatable. It is said that one can not deny the appeal of the comedy nor escape the speil of the delightful manner in which it is played. The cast that will appear here is of the usual Belasco standard, and includes the following names: Robert Conness, Harry Hayden, Eugene G. Harper, Cariton Rivers, James Ward, George Shevlin, Lillian Concord, Devan Morel, Elizabeth Forbes, Francis Kennon, Helen Strickiand and others.

Moving Pictures

Princess.

Monday and for Tuesday at the Prin Monday and for Tuesday at the Princess theater where she was presented for the first time Sunday in "The Flame of the Yukon." This is the revamped version of the photoplay which made Miss Dalton famous not many years ago and in it she is given one of the most absorbing and interesting character roles she has ever essayed. The role given Miss Dalton is that of "The Flame." a lurid woman of the Alaskan gold mining campe and there action, fights and thrills abound such as made "The Spoilers" the picture it was.

Strand.

Marguerite Clark, who is being presented at the Strand theater all this week in her latest photoplay, "Luck in Pawn," delighted capacity audiences Sunday despite the rain. Her comedy is the most delightful and entertaining in which this petite and chic little star has ever appeared in.

The locale for "Luck in Pawn" at first is the home of Marguerite, where it is told that she is intensely interested in art. Lated, she is seen in a big city where she is living in the Bohemian quarters and with no more success than the sale of one picture. When she suddenly finds herself at an aristocratic watering place surrounded by the acme of society, her troubles as well, as her romance begins.

The picture abounds in amusing and delightful situations and Miss Clark is even more charming than ever.

An added feature of the program is the suner Mack Sennett comedy, "Uncle Tom Without the Cabin."

Majestic.

Charles Ray is at the Majestic theater for the first four days of this week in his latest comedy drama, "Crooked Straight," which more than pleased his admirers Sunday at the first showing. Ray is cast as a small town boy who has saved \$1,000 with which to make his way in the big town. He goes there, but his \$1,000 lasts only a few minutes after he encounters some city sharpers. When he is down and out he turns crook and then his adventures begin. These carry him through many abserbing situations until he finds love and happiness in a small village in fostering two little orphans. Pathe News is also shown.

PACKING HOUSE MATERIAL ARRIVES

The first carload of building material for the Memphis Packing corporation's new plant arrived Monday morning, and several more cars of material are expected to arrive this week.

Engineers for the company have completed the survey of the property and the ground has been staked off for the buildings. The Frisco railroad has laid out two switches and will begin building them at once. One switch already reaches the property.

Grading for the foundations of the buildings will be started as soon as weather conditions permit, and actual construction work on the plant will follow immediately.

The proposed plant will cost about \$350,000 and will be one of the finest packing plants of its size in the country.

WHY SHOULD BOIL BOTHER BUSY DETECTIVE?

Sam Oppenheimer, detective for the public defender, appeared at the courthouse Monday for the first time in a week. He has been confined to his home with a severe attack of tonsilities. And, to make it good, as his threat not well. Sam sprung a boil on the back of his left hand.

"How they ever held that election without my aid, is more than I can understand," was Sam's good-natured comment on the illness which kept him at home.

PULLEN AGAIN TOURS

"Cleve" Puller with his company of 30 people, comprising the personnel of Pullen's Comedians and Musical Revue of 1919, spent Sunday in Memphisen route from the West to make his twelfth annual tour of the delta and other Mississippi territory.

Mr. Pullen's company has been added to considerably aince last season. Notable among the new acts is the blackface act headed by "Twirler Gregory, ex-basehall star and formerly with Al G. Fleid's minstrels.

THEATERS.

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Bostock's Riding School

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NEW LYRIC TONIGHT, 8:15 O'CLOCK. Cortese Brothers Present

Frances Alda Metropolitan Opera Soprano.

Charles Hackett The American Tenor. in a Gala Joint Concert.

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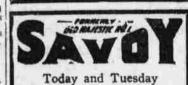
DIGH CLASS PHOTOPLAYS Today and Tuesday

DOROTHY DALTON

"The Flame of

the Yukon"

A dramatic and thrilling episode taken from the frozen fields of Alaska, A picture as good as "The Spoilers."



DOROTHY GISH "ATTABOY'S

Everyone finds amusement in Dorothy Gish's comedies, and this one is worthy of "The Little Disturber."

LAST RACE"

MARGUERITE CLARK

"Luck in Pawn" Delightful Marguerite travels all the way from a small home in a village to the me-tropolis and then to a fash-

ionable watering place before she finds romance and happiness. -Added Feature-MACK SENNETT'S COMEDY "Uncle Tom Without the Cabin"

Admission, 20 Cents